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No Better Time to Break the Habit

Over 400,000 people in the U.S. die from the effects of smoking each year. According to military health care officials nearly one of every three active-duty service members smoke. The American Cancer Society says nine out of 10 smokers would like to quit and there's no better time to do it than during the Great American Smokeout Nov. 16. Several activities are planned involving the health clinic, dental clinic and Girl Scouts.

One activity involves Patch High School teens who are becoming teen educators with the Teens Against Tobacco Use program. This is an American Lung Association tobacco awareness program taught by teens to youth. These Volunteer Service Learning students will make anti-smoking presentations Nov. 16 to Panzer Elementary students in grades four, five and six and to Patch Elementary students in grade five.

For info on the Great American Smokeout events call the Stuttgart community health nurse, 430-8209/civ. 0711-680-8209, or visit the Web page at (www2.cancer.org/gas/index.cfm).

SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

For emergencies call:

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0711-680-116
0711-680-114
07031-15-818
0711-680-5000
0711-680-6121
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Command Change Ceremony Planned

The 6th Area Support Group Headquarters and Headquarters Company change of command ceremony will be held Nov. 17, 2 p.m. on Cooper Field, Kelley Barracks.

Capt. Frankie Ras will assume command from Capt. Anthony Haycock. The reviewing officer will be Col. Larry Stubblefield, commander, 6th ASG.

In case of inclement weather the ceremony will move to the Kelley Fitness Center.

Note Possible Holiday Closures

Nov. 13 and 24 are U.S. Army Europe training holidays, supporting Veteran's Day Nov. 10 and Thanksgiving Day Nov. 23 and providing two fourday weekend opportunities. Expect office closures and call ahead for operating hours.

Honor Native American Heritage Month

Native American Heritage Month is observed from Nov. 1 through 30 each year. This year's theme is Energizing Tribal Relations Through Education and Empowerment. A free DoD show is scheduled Nov. 17, 7 p.m. at the Swabian Special Events Center. The event will feature Native American dancers in authentic regalia performing friendship and specialty dances, an art exhibit, traditional food tasting and more. Bring the family out for an educational and entertaining evening. For info call 421-2892/civ. 0711-729-2892.

Stop Rumors From Spreading

Concerned about a local rumor? Before repeating it call 6th ASG Public Affairs Rumor Control and get the facts. Let Public Affairs personnel check out the event, whether on or off post. For info call 421-2000/2712/civ. 0711-729-2000/2712.

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Survey Targets Former Residents

Marine Corps officials are trying to reach approximately 10,000 former residents of on-base housing at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. The residents may have been exposed to contaminants in the water supply prior to 1985. For info call the Marine Corps toll-free at 877-261-9782 or visit the Web site at (www.usmc.mil/camlejwatersurvey).

Parents Reminded to Track Children

Due to recent tragic incidents in nearby towns involving children, parents are asked to increase awareness of their children's whereabouts.

Special Forces Recruiting Team Visits

A Special Forces Recruiting Team will provide a briefing Nov. 13 and 15, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Patch Barracks Theater. The program is open to personnel E-3 to E-7 in all military occupational specialties and officers in year groups 1996 to 1998. For info call 379-6558 or e-mail (sfrt-eur@hq.1perscom.heidelberg.army.mil).

Mandatory Departure Briefing Held

The Community Central Processing Facility holds a Permanent Change of Station and Pre-Separation Briefing Nov. 15 from 1 to 2:30 p.m., building 2318, room 5, Patch Barracks. Service members from all military branches and civilians who are departing within the next six months are required to attend.

Briefings will include information on clearance from various agencies including transportation, medical and dental clinics, vehicle registration, housing office and Army Community Services. Army members will also receive briefings on personnel and finance issues. Pre-registration is not required. For info call Mr. Heisler, 430-4064/civ. 0711-680-4064.

Harassment Prevention Training Given

All appropriated and non-appropriated fund civilian employees are required to attend annual Training in the Prevention of Sexual Harassment. The next date for TIPOSH is Dec. 6, 10 a.m. to noon in the Stuttgart Theater Center, Kelley Barracks. For info call 421-2649/civ. 0711-729-2649.

Report Suspected Espionage Incidents

Community members can help prevent subversion and espionage by guarding against the collection efforts of foreign intelligence services.

Watch for someone who repeatedly violates known security procedures or mishandles sensitive national defense information. Report it to the Stuttgart Military Intelligence Office, 421-2206/civ. 0711-729-2206.

Combined Federal Campaign Ongoing

The Combined Federal Campaign is happening now until Nov. 17, enabling military members and federal employees the opportunity to support charitable and humanitarian organizations. The campaign theme, Make a World of Difference, Give to CFC, reminds people that donations are essential to the success of many worthwhile causes.

Donors have a variety of organizations from which to choose including the overseas installation Family Support Youth Activity Programs. FSYP contributions are the only ones fully returned to support local community youth events and programs from where the funds came. Personnel wanting to contribute should contact unit CFC representatives or visit the CFC-Overseas Web site at (www.cfcoverseas.org).

Employees May Make Benefit Changes

A limited Open Season for all non-appropriated fund employees is being held until Nov. 17. Employees can make certain benefit program elections and change existing programs. For info call 421-2191/civ. 0711-729-2191.

Grant Applications Available

The German-American Women's Club is accepting applications for grants to be awarded from the proceeds of this year's Pfennig Bazaar. Stuttgart-area military- and civilian-sponsored organizations that support community service projects may apply.

Applications are available at Army Community Service, building 2307, Patch Barracks, and from the Welfare Committee. Deadline for application submission is Dec. 22. For info write to: GAWC Welfare Committee, c/o Lucille Chaveas, HQ USEUCOM, Unit 30400 Box 819, APO AE 09128 or call 0711-687-7558.

SERVICES

Army Post Office Changes Hours

The 510th Postal Company changed its Army Post Office operating hours for Kelley Barracks and Panzer Kaserne, effective Oct. 30. New hours for Kelley Barracks are Tuesdays and Thursdays noon to 4 p.m. New hours for Panzer Kaserne are Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays noon to 4 p.m. Hours at Patch Barracks and Robinson Barracks will not change. Patch Barracks hours are Mondays through Wednesdays and Fridays

10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Thursdays noon to 6 p.m. Robinson Barracks hours are Tuesday and Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The above noted change resulted from an extensive hourly customer survey conducted by the 510th Postal Company for customers serviced by the two APOs. Their analysis indicated changing the hours at Panzer and Kelley APOs would ultimately decrease amount of disruption of service to the Stuttgart community while increasing manpower at the Echterdingen Airfield. This change will enhance the mail processing time at the Airfield. For info call Capt. McLean, 385-3097.

Power Outage Affects Panzer Kaserne

Electrical services will be interrupted Nov. 10 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in building 2953, Panzer Kaserne, to repair the main feeder cable. Offices affected include Military Clothing Sales, Car Rental, Barber Shop, Beauty Shop, Community Bank, Alterations and Thrift Store. For info call 431-2806/civ. 07031-15-806.

Thanksgiving Feast Prepared For All

The 6th ASG Dining Facilities will host their traditional Thanksgiving meals Nov. 23 from noon to 4 p.m. The Black Stallion Inn will serve its meal at Swabian Special Events Center, Patch Barracks. Panzer Dining Facility will serve its meal in building 2949, Panzer Kaserne. The holiday meal price is \$5.20, \$4.30 for family members of E-4s and below and must be paid in dollars.

All service members, family members, Department of Defense civilians, other U.S. identification cardholders and guests are invited to attend. All guests must be escorted by an I.D. cardholder.

Single service members may go to the head of the line at any time. For more info call Chief Warrant Officer Mitchell, 421-2358/civ. 0711-729-2358.

Patch Thrift Shop Holds Bag Sale

Everyone is invited to a special sale Nov. 15 at Patch Thrift Shop, located in building 2307, Patch Barracks. Stop by and receive a bag to fill with selected clothing for only \$3. The shop is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The shop will close Nov. 13 for Veterans Day. For info call 430-5510/civ. 0711-680-5510.

New Cancellation Number Available

A new phone number allows community members to cancel appointments at the Heidelberg Hospital, 24 hours a day, seven days a

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week. The new number, 0800-914-6133, makes appointment cancellation quick, easy and toll free.

Cancellations can also be made by calling 06221-37-5933, however, this number is not toll free. To reschedule or make new appointments, members must contact the central appointment desk at the local clinic.

Holiday Mailing Deadlines Announced

To help ensure holiday mail and packages processed through the Army Post Office are delivered to the U.S. before Dec. 25, packages should be mailed using the following deadlines: Space Available Mail Nov. 20; Priority Air Lift Dec. 4; priority parcels and first-class letters Dec. 11; and express mail Dec. 18.

APOs will begin holiday operating hours Nov. 13 to Dec. 23. Customers planning to mail five or more packages at once are asked to call APOs to make an appointment. Appointments are normally scheduled one hour prior to the opening time for each APO.

Operating hours and phone numbers for area APOs are: Panzer Kaserne Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays noon to 4 p.m., 431-2563/civ. 07031-15-563; Patch Barracks Mondays through Wednesdays and Fridays **10 a.m.** to 4 p.m., Thursdays noon to 6 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., 430-7226/civ. 0711-680-7226; Robinson Barracks Mondays through Fridays 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., 420-6223/civ. 0711-819-6223; and Kelley Barracks Tuesdays and Thursdays noon to 4 p.m., 421-2542/civ. 0711-729-2542.

Drop Off Excess Household Cleaners

The 6th Area Support Group Environmental Office requests community members turn in unwanted household cleaners and paint products to the Self-Help Store, located in building 3320, Kelley Barracks. The share program enables other people to pick them up and use them. These products are unsafe to the environment and German law forbids placing them in trash dumpsters. For info call Andy Poppen, 421-6131/civ. 0711-729-6131.

Discover Holiday Gifts at Thrift Shop

The Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop, located in building 196, is sponsored by the 6th ASG Scholarship Council and is a consignment shop.

Patrons will find a large selection of German collectibles and other possible holiday gift items. New items include an unused 220-volt washing machine and a marble-top dresser. Wooden skis, sleds and farm wagons are also available.

Shop operating hours are Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Consignments are accepted until 12:30 p.m. The shop closes for the year-end holidays Dec. 16, 2 p.m. and reopens Jan. 4, 10 a.m. For info call 0711-854-242.

Travel Vouchers Require Reviewer

Effective Nov. 1, travel settlement vouchers submitted to 208th Finance Battalion for processing must contain a reviewer's signature. The reviewer may be the commander or supervisor of the traveler. For info call 430-7103/civ. 0711-680-7103 or visit the Web site (www.208fb.mannheim.army.mil).

Call Central Number for Area Lodging

Patrons can now call a central phone number, 430-1700/civ. 0711-680-1700, to request lodging reservations for official travel throughout the 6th Area Support Group. Facilities include the Swabian Inn, Patch Barracks; Hilltop Hotel, Robinson Barracks; Kelley Barracks Hotel; and Loisach Inn, Garmisch.

If rooms are unavailable in any local facility a certificate of non-availability will be issued and the traveler can make reservations off post. For reservations or info call 430-1700/civ. 0711-680-1700 or e-mail (swabian.inn@6asg.army.mil).

Upcoming Closings, Changes

The **AAFES Barber Shop** in building 3312 on Kelley Barracks is now open Mondays through Fridays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and German and American holidays 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. For info call 421-2630/civ. 0711-729-2630.

Patch Fitness Center will change operating hours due to the Veteran's Day and USAREUR training holiday. Hours are Nov. 10 to 12, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Nov. 13, 5:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. For info call 430-7136/civ. 0711-680-7136.

The *Civilian Misconduct Authority Office* has moved to building 3312, second floor, Kelley Barracks. For info call 421-2770/civ. 0711-729-2770.

The *Patch Barracks Commissary* will be closed Nov. 11 in observance of Veteran's Day. For info call 430-8474/civ. 0711-680-8474.

The *Kelley Commissary* will be closed Nov.10 in observance of Veteran's Day.

Inbound traffic to *Patch Barracks Main Gate* Nov. 10 and 13 will be diverted to the alternate entrance. Maintenance is scheduled for the security barriers located in the inbound lanes. For info call 430-8276/civ. 0711-680-8276.

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Essentials Calendar Appears in Citizen

The Morale Welfare and Recreation monthly publication, Essentials, now appears in the Citizen newspaper once a month. The information focuses on MWR-sponsored events and programs happening in the Stuttgart community.

Commissary Adds Benefit for Babies

The Patch Commissary now has a special room designated for use when needing to change baby diapers. Comments from the community on this benefit would be appreciated. For info call 430-8401/civ. 0711-680-8401.

Remember ICE When Visiting Agencies

Did you know there are nearly 100 Stuttgart community service agencies listed on the Interactive Customer Evaluation (ICE) system? Facilities involved include all 6th Area Support Group services and organizations such as medical clinic, commissaries, Army and Air Force Exchange Service and Department of Defense Dependent Schools.

To access the ICE system and voice any comments and concerns about community facilities and services, go to the 6th Area Support Group Web site at (www.stuttgart.army.mil) and click on the ICE logo.

SECTION II ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Prayer Breakfast Held

Everyone is invited to a Community Prayer Breakfast Nov. 21, 7 a.m. in Patch Community Club. The guest speaker will be Ambassador Peter Chaveas. Suggested donation is \$3 at the door. For info call 430-5000/civ. 0711-680-5000.

Commissary Focus Group Meets

The next Commissary Focus Group Meeting will be held Nov. 21, 10 a.m. in the Patch Commissary conference room. For info call Renee Mayo, 421-2366/civ. 0711-729-2366.

Community Assistance Appreciated

Thanks go out to all the agencies that helped support the U.S. Culinary Arts Team while it trained here last month. Special thanks go to the Photo Lab, Directorate of Public Works, Transportation, Kelley Commissary, Kelley Kantine, Directorate of Logistics, EUCOM, Black Stallion Inn, Exceptional Family Member Program and the Public Affairs Office. The tremendous support provided by these agencies helped the

team win the World Championship title at the World Culinary Olympics. For info call CW2 Mitchell, 421-2358/civ. 0711-729-2358.

Church Holds Three-Day Revival

The Church of God in Christ is holding a Revival Nov. 15 to 17 from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. in Panzer Chapel. For info call Annette Collins, 430-5258/civ. 0711-680-5258.

Townhall Meeting Reminder

The next Stuttgart Military Community townhall meeting is scheduled Nov. 15, 7 p.m. in Panzer Community Club. For info call 421-2522/civ. 0711-729-2522.

JROTC Schedules Turkey Shoot

Everyone, age 14 and older, is invited to participate in the Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps Turkey Shoot Nov. 18, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the JROTC Rifle Range, building 2312, third floor, Patch Barracks.

All levels of shooters, from novice to expert, are welcome. Tickets cost \$2 for a target and 13 pellets and will be available from JROTC cadets. Turkeys and hams will be awarded to the top shooters. For info call Sgt. Maj. Goodrum, 430-5442/civ. 0711-680-5442.

Panzer Chapel Holds Special Event

Everyone is invited to celebrate the start of Thanksgiving week with Sung Evensong, Englishstyle, Nov. 19, 5:30 p.m. in Panzer Chapel. The event will be hosted by Panzer Liturgical Community and the Stuttgart Anglican chaplaincy of St. Katherine's. For info call 0179-410-8340 or e-mail (kaperg@6asg.army.mil).

Marathon Awards Dinner Scheduled

The 24-Hour Marathon Committee will host its annual awards dinner in Panzer Community Club Nov. 30, 6 to 8 p.m. Funds raised during this year's marathon will be presented to area youth groups.

The buffet-style menu, consisting of chicken, ribs, sweet potatoes, black-eyed peas, rice, collard greens, cornbread and salad bar, will cost \$5.50. Reservations are required. For info call Jim Barrineau, 430-8838/civ. 0711-680-8838.

Chapel Holds Advent Festival

The 6th Area Support Group Ministry Team invites everyone to an Advent Festival in the forum at Patch High School Nov. 18, 1 to 3 p.m. Booklets will be distributed explaining the history,

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meaning and spirituality of Advent and providing suggestions for family devotions.

Material will be available for the construction of Advent wreaths. A free pot luck meal will be shared with finger food, salads and desserts. Volunteers are needed to set up and take down the event.

This ecumenical project is being co-sponsored by the Catholic and Protestant communities of the Patch Barracks Chapel. For info call Angelica Carroll, 0711-687-7806.

Stuttgart-Area Home Schoolers Meet

The monthly support meeting of Stuttgart-Area Home Schoolers, entitled How to Teach Reading, will be held Nov. 16 at 7 p.m. in the chapel conference room, building 2307, fourth floor, Patch Barracks. The meeting will present new ideas and strategies for teaching children the joys of reading. For info call Anita Benedetti, 0711-687-7448.

Special Luncheon Held at Patch Club

The Officers and Civilians Spouse's Club is hosting a special luncheon Nov. 14, 10:30 a.m. in Patch Barracks Community Club. The cost is \$10. The OCSC has invited the German-American Women's Club to attend this special event. For info or reservations call Carla Vogl, 0711-687-7425.

Fall Into Good Routine With Jazzercise

Step Circuit Classes, provided by certified instructor Christine Charles, offer a total body aerobic and strength workout. Join classes Mondays and Wednesdays 6 to 7:10 p.m. in Kelley Fitness Center and Tuesdays and Thursdays 6 to 7:10 p.m. in Patch Fitness Center. Steps and tubes are provided, bring a mat and hand weights. The first class is complimentary. For info call 0711-457-0835.

Basketball Teams Recruiting Players

The Stuttgart Community Men's and Women's Basketball Team are seeking players for the 2000/2001 Basketball Season. Practices are held in Patch Barracks Fitness Center 6:30 to 10 p.m. Men practice Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Women practice Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. For info call Al Perry, 430-7291 or 0174-590-5490.

Ski Club Presents Fashions

It's Ski Fashion Night at the Patch Ski Club meeting Nov. 15, 7 p.m. in Patch Community Club. Come see the latest fashions in downhill and

cross-country ski apparel. There will also be a display of the latest in cross country ski equipment.

Most Holiday Season ski trips are still on sale. New trips going on sale at this meeting include Engelberg, Switzerland, Jan. 26-28; Siegi's III, St.Veit, Austria, Jan. 28-Feb. 3; and Gstaad, Switzerland, Feb. 2-4. For info call Alicia Gunst, 430-8597/civ. 0711-680-8597, or visit the Web page at (www.psc-ski.org).

Unit-Level Basketball Season Nears

The unit-level basketball season is scheduled to begin Dec. 5. Teams must submit a letter of intent to the Patch Barracks Sports Office by Nov. 22. The length of the season will be determined by the number of teams. Playoffs will be held in Patch Fitness Center March 10 to 11. The USAREUR Unit-Level Championship will be held March 15 to 18. A coaches meeting is tentatively scheduled the week of Nov. 27. For info call 430-7136/civ. 0711-680-7136.

CHILDREN & TEEN

Signup for Basketball or Cheerleading

All youth interested in participating in basketball or cheerleading should signup at local Youth Services. The cost is \$35, with a multiple child discount available and a Nov. 17 signup deadline. Each participant must also be centrally registered. For info call 431-2616/civ. 07031-15-616.

Patch Youth Services Has Events

Patch Youth Services, located in building 2337, has several things happening this month. On Nov. 16 the Torch Club meets at 4 p.m. allowing registered youth to make suggestions concerning program offerings. Teens assemble at 6 p.m. and discuss upcoming trips and other program offerings.

On Nov. 17 a Turkey Fair is planned for youth ages 6 to 12 from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. Festivities include crafts, face-painting, scavenger hunt, karaoke and Turkey Bingo. The cost is \$8 and includes dinner and snacks.

On Nov. 24 from noon to 9 p.m. Middle School and Teen programs will be consolidated at Patch YS. Lunch will be offered at 12:30 p.m. and a trip is planned to the Aquadrom Water Pool. The cost is \$10 and signup deadline is Nov. 22. For info call 430-7204/civ. 0711-680-7204.

Child Screening Held on Panzer

Department of Defense Dependent Schools will offer a screening for children with suspected developmental delays Dec. 1 in Böblingen Elementary School on Panzer Kaserne. The screening will focus on problems with communication, self-help skills, social skills and physical development. For an appointment or info call 420-6365/civ. 0711-819-6365.

Youth German Classes Offered

Children can now learn how to speak German with Panzer Youth Services. In November, classes will be held Tuesdays in Böblingen Elementary School. Ages 6 to 12 attend from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. and ages 3 to 6 attend from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$30 per month. For info call 431-2619/civ. 07031-15-619.

Panzer YS Lists November Programs

Check out Panzer Kaserne Youth Services this month for special events. Try your luck with *Turkey Bingo* Nov. 11, 6:30 p.m. for a cost of \$7.50 per person. Jump into *taekwondo*, a fun activity for all ages, Mondays and Wednesdays. The cost is \$35 per person, \$45 per couple or \$65 for two or more families. Youth ages 3 and up can get involved with *ballet, jazz, tap or gymnastics*. The six-week session ends with a holiday show and grand finale recital. The cost is \$54 per child. Youth age 2 and up can get into *Kids Krafts* and learn art appreciation and expression while experimenting with the color wheel, picking shapes out of the landscapes and studying the masters. For info call 431-2619/civ. 07031-15-619.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Ombudsman Training Offered

The Command Ombudsman Program, a Navy initiative, exists to address unique issues and concerns effecting both military families and the command. It provides assistance ranging from family referrals to post-deployment briefings. However, a Ombudsman training session offered Dec. 4 to 8, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in building 3358, Kelley Barracks, is open to everyone of all services. Seating is limited and signup deadline is Nov. 27. To register or for info call 421-4228/civ. 0711-729-4228.

Stress Management Class Offered

The 6th Area Support Group will host a Stress Management Class Nov. 15 and 16, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in building 3307, second floor, Kelley Barracks. Pre-registration and DA Form 1556,

Request for Training and Reimbursement, is required. For info contact Gaby Sigloch, 421-2777/civ. 0711-729-2777, fax 421-2136/civ. 0711-729-2136 or e-mail (siglochg@6asg.army.mil).

Red Cross Offers Training Classes

The Stuttgart-Area American Red Cross offers the following health and safety courses: Community First Aid and Safety Nov. 14 and 16, 5:30 to 10 p.m., cost is \$30; Healthy Pregnancy/Healthy Baby Course Nov. 16, 22, 30, Dec. 7, 14 and 21, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., cost is \$20. To register call 431-2818/civ. 07031-15-818.

Computer Classes Available

The Information Training Center, located in building 3307, room 117, Kelley Barracks, offers USAREUR-funded computer classes on an ongoing basis. Personnel are encouraged to enroll in the following classes: Intro to Word 2000 Nov. 14 to 15; Intro to Internet Explorer 5.0 Nov. 17; Advanced Access 2000 Nov. 20 to 21; Advanced Power Point Nov. 22; Intro to Access 97 Nov. 27 Basic Computer Skills Nov. Intermediate Excel 97, Charting and Graphing Nov. 30; Intro to NT Workstation 4.0 Dec. 1; Intro to Outlook 98 Dec. 4; Intro to Power Point 2000 Dec. 5; Advanced Word 97 Dec. 6; and Advanced Excel 97 Dec. 7. For additional info go to (www.stuttgart.army.mil) and click on Training or call Cory Chapman, 421-2475/civ. 0711-729-2475.

ACS Offers Language Courses

Army Community Services, located in building 2307, Patch Barracks, offers different levels of German and English language courses including Conversational German Thursdays 6 p.m.; Beginning German at Patch Wednesdays 6 to 7:30 p.m., next class begins Nov. 29; Beginning German at Robinson Barracks Tuesdays, 1 p.m., next class begins Nov. 28; English as a Second Language, Level 1 Tuesdays 6 to 7:30 p.m. and Level 2 Thursdays 6 to 7:30 p.m. For registration or info call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

HOBBIES & CRAFTS

Photo Center Offers Portrait Special

Take advantage of the November Portrait Special, My Pet and I, Nov. 18, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Robinson Barracks Arts and Photo Center. Take 10 pictures with a pet and receive all proofs and one 5X7 print for a basic set price. For registration or info call 420-6038/civ. 0711-819-6038 or e-mail (meissneru@6asg.army.mil).

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Photography Workshop Scheduled

Sign up now for the next photography workshop Nov. 13, 6:30 p.m. at Robinson Barracks Arts and Photo Center. The workshop, entitled Portrait Lighting, involves black and white and color photography using models. For info call 420-6038/civ. 0711-819-6038.

JOB CORNER

Panzer YS Seeks Instructors

Panzer Youth Services is looking for instructors to share their talents. Interested individuals are asked to stop by the center for information on contracted instruction. Help the YS create an exciting community to live, work and play in. For info call 431-2568/civ. 07031-15-568.

ACS Helps Preparing Resumes

Army Community Services, located in building 2307, Patch Barracks, offers help in preparing employment resumes. A Resumix Class is held Tuesdays 10 a.m. and a Computer Resumix Class is held Tuesdays 2 p.m. For registration or info call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

Help Sought for Holiday Mail Season

Volunteers are being sought from the community to help keep the holiday mail moving during the busiest time of the year for postal employees. Make a difference by volunteering some time to keep this important quality-of-life program operating well during this holiday season. For info call 2nd Lt. Golden, 421-4149/civ. 0711-729-4149.

Thrift Shop Seeks Assistant Manager

Panzer Thrift Shop, located in building 2953, is seeking a volunteer to fill an assistant manager position. Shop operating hours are Tuesdays and Wednesdays 2 to 5 p.m. and Fridays 1 to 5 p.m. For info call 431-2878/civ. 07031-15-878.

Army Post Office Has Vacancies

The Army Post Office on Echterdingen Airfield has employment opportunities in postal operations and finance. Interested personnel should contact the Civilian Personnel Advisory Center, 421-2665/civ. 0711-729-2665.

LEISURE TIME

Club Announces Annual Christmas Ball

The Böblingen Community Activities Club will hold its annual Christmas Ball at the Marriott Hotel in Sindelfingen Dec. 2 from 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. The

event features a great buffet and live band and a photographer will also be available. Tickets cost 55 marks per person and are on sale until Nov. 16. For info call Irene Warren, 421-2712/civ. 0711-729-2712, or e-mail (warreni@6asg.army.mil).

Patch Club Throws Black & White Party

Patch Community Club is sponsoring a Black and White Party Nov. 18, 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. The entrance fee for those wearing black or white clothing is only \$5. Free food and beverages will be available. For info call Staff Sgt. Backman-Brown, 430-8423/civ. 0711-680-8423.

Kelley Club Offers Internet Access

The Cyberia Cafe, located in the Kelley Barracks Community Club, offers six interactive computer terminals with Internet access. Play one of the many new games and challenge a friend or just surf the net for \$5 an hour. In November buy four hours and get one free. Hours are Mondays to Saturdays 5 to 11 p.m. and Sundays 6:30 p.m. to midnight.

Patch Club Sponsors Talent Show

Patch Community Club is sponsoring a Talent Show Dec. 2. The registration fee for each act is \$20. Signup deadline is Nov. 17. For info call Staff Sgt. Backman-Brown, 430-8423/civ. 0711-680-8423.

USO Announces Upcoming Trips

The Stuttgart USO offers several trips during November including Berlin Express tour Nov. 17 to 19; Ice Skating in Degerloch Nov. 19; Hummel figurine and Kaiser porcelain factories Nov. 21; London Nov. 22 to 26; and Innsbruck, Austria, Nov. 25. For info call 430-5559/civ. 0711-680-5559.

Böblingen Club Hosts Holiday Bingo

The Böblingen Community Activities Club is hosting a Holiday Bingo Nov. 11 in Panzer Community Club. The doors open at 6 p.m. and bingo starts at 7 p.m. The membership fee is \$10 and bingo packets cost \$2. For info call Cindy Sullivan, 431-2436/civ. 07031-15-436.

School House Rock Tickets Available

The Stuttgart Entertainment Branch presents its Broadway in Concert production of School House Rock, the Saturday morning cartoon adults grew up with. Performances are Nov. 10, 11, 12, 17 and 18, 7:30 p.m. in the Stuttgart Theater Center, building 3320 on Kelley Barracks. On Nov. 12 there is also a 3 p.m. matinee.

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Tickets are \$14 or 28 marks for adults and \$12 or 24 marks for students and children. Reservations are recommended and can be made at the Stuttgart Entertainment Branch, building 3319 on Kelley Barracks, or by calling 421-2825/civ. 0711-729-2825 Tuesdays through Fridays 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Non-U.S. Military ID cardholders must call with passport numbers for admittance to Kelley Barracks. Remaining tickets will be sold at the door 45 minutes before show time. Children under age 5 cannot be admitted to any performance.

Entertainment Center Replaces Club

Robinson Barracks Entertainment Center (formerly the community club) is under new management and the community is invited to check out the new atmosphere.

Visit Cheers Lounge where everyone knows your name. Operating hours are Tuesdays to Thursdays 5 to 11 p.m. and Fridays and Saturdays 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. Thursdays is Country Night, Fridays is Customer Appreciation Night, Saturdays is Oldies Night and Sundays is Sports Night, beginning at 6 p.m. After the game, request your favorite jazz songs beginning at 9 p.m. For info call 420-6129/civ. 0711-819-6129.

Christmas Carol Tickets Available

The Stuttgart Entertainment Branch is accepting reservations for Charles Dickens A Christmas Carol. Performances are Dec. 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 15 and 16, 7:30 p.m. and Dec. 10 and 16, 3 p.m. in the Stuttgart Theatre Center, building 3320 on Kelley Barracks.

Tickets are \$12 or 24 marks for adults and \$10 or 20 marks for students/children. Reservations are recommended and can be made at the Stuttgart Entertainment Branch, building 3319 on Kelley Barracks or by calling 421-2825/civ. 0711-729-2825 Tuesdays to Fridays 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

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Panzer Club Offers Lunch, Karaoke

The Panzer Community Club offers a lunch buffet and salad bar Mondays through Fridays 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Keller Bar is open Tuesdays through Fridays 5 p.m. to midnight. Tuesdays feature karaoke and Saturdays is German/American Friendship Night with a karaoke

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twist from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. For info call 431-2401/civ, 07031-15-401.

Kelley Club Offers Weekly Events

Stop by Kelley Barracks Community Club and enjoy one of the weekly events. On Wednesdays take part in karaoke from 9 p.m. to midnight. On Fridays hear the sounds of the top 40s from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. On Saturdays check out Latin music with DJ Luis 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.

The Kelley Club can help make promotion parties, conferences, cookouts or birthday parties really special too. For info call 421-2811/civ. 0711-729-2811.

Movie Schedule

Movies and times are subject to change. For info call theaters or visit the AAFES Web site at (www.aafes.com/europe/eucom_consol/index.html).

Patch	Theater	0711-680-5310	
Nov 10	7 p.m.	The Cell	R
	9:30 p.m.	The Contender	R
Nov 11	7 p.m.	The Cell	R
	9:30 p.m.	The Contender	R
Nov 12	2 p.m.	Autumn in New York	PG-13
	7 p.m.	The Contender	R
Nov 13	7 p.m.	The Contender	R
Nov 14	7 p.m.	Autumn in New	PG-13
	_	York	_
Nov 15	7 p.m.	The Cell	R
Nov 16	7 p.m.	The Cell	R
RB	Theater	0711-819-6137	
Nov 10	7 p.m.	The Replacements	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Bless the Child	R
Nov 11	7 p.m.	The Replacements	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Bless the Child	R
Nov 12	4 p.m.	The Replacements	PG-13
	7 p.m.	Bless the Child	R
Nov	13 - 16	Closed	

Corso Theater (Hauptstr. 6, Vaihingen): For info in English and German call 0711-734-916.

Patch Community Club Offers Variety

The Patch Barracks Community Club offers Chinese, American and European cuisine. Patrons can prop their feet up and relax in the lounge, complete with big-screen TV, dartboards, pool tables and specialty drinks. Fridays feature the sounds of country and western from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. For info call 430-6727/civ. 0711-680-6727.

Golf Course Hosts Turkey Shoot

Stop by the Stuttgart Golf Course for a Turkey Shoot Nov. 18 at 9 a.m. Challenge yourself to

Pluck the Tail Feathers, Closest to the Bull's Eye and Longest Ball in Flight competitions to win prizes. To register call 07141-879-151.

TRADING POST

Submissions are subject to editor discretion and appear on a space available basis for two weeks.

For Sale/Vehicles:

'96 BMW 318ti, U.S. specs, approx. 44,000 miles, exc. cond., blue book approx. \$16,500. This is an agent sale, bids by closed auction begin at \$9,000. Any purchase is final and considered as is. No warranties, real or implied, are made concerning the mechanical condition. All proceeds will be used to satisfy the vehicle's lien and the remainder forwarded to the current owner. Deadline for bids by e-mail is Nov. 21, 10 a.m. For info call Capt. Hall, 421-4150/civ. 0711-729-4150.

'93 Chevy Corsica, four-door, automatic, power steering, AM/FM cassette, asking \$1,000. Call Kevin or Anna, 0711-817-7451.

'90 Chevy Corsica LT, four-door, five-speed, power steering, A/C, AM/FM cassette, 104,000 miles, recent new exhaust system, new front and rear brakes, four new snow tires, new alternator, blue book value is \$2,295, asking \$1,600. Car is located on Patch. Call Dave, 07157-3745.

'92 Dodge Caravan, light blue, 2.3 liter, four cylinder, 114,000 kilometers, built-in children's seats, good condition, dealer-maintained, asking \$5,000 obo. Call Jill, 421-2046 or 07158-68-221.

'92 Ford Sierra wagon, 150,000 kilometers, 80,000 miles, German inspection good until Dec. 01, great for large family, clean, dependable, blue book: \$3,325, asking \$2,250. Call 0711-530-0981 or 0173-417-4444.

'99 Ford Escort ZX2, silver frost with charcoal interior, 11,000 miles, manual trans., A/C, six CD changer, AM/FM stereo cassette, power locks and windows, ABS braking system, three-year warranty, blue book \$12,375, asking \$11,000 negotiable. Call 0711-817-7308.

'90 Ford Thunderbird 3.8L Super Coupe, black with gold trim, electric everything, keypad entry to doors, windows, trunk and engine ignition, sunroof, auto on-off headlights, AM/FM CD and cassette, asking \$3,000 obo. Call 0711-678-7579.

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'89 Ford Aerostar, automatic locks, windows, power steering, A/C, AM/FM cassette, asking \$1,500. Call Kevin or Anna, 0711-817-7451.

91' Geo Prizm, white, loaded, power everything, very dependable, blue book: \$4,280, asking \$1500. Call Rob, 430-4306 or 0711-722-0109.

'98 Mercedes 240, E-class, European spec, sedan, metallic black, single owner, garaged since purchase, recently checked by dealer, perfect condition, 30,000 kilometers, CD player, leather shift and steering wheel, ski-sack, aluminum wheels and four Dunlop snow tires, available early Dec. asking \$24,000, negotiable. Call 430-4279 or 07152-75132.

For Sale/Miscellaneous:

Tires, winter, set of four, Fulda M+S 165/80R13, three years old, about 15,000 kilometers, exc. cond., mounted on rims for '84 VW Passat, make an offer. Call 0711-687-1249 or e-mail (redick.bonn@01019freenet.de).

Learning program, Ready, Set, Read, 12 cassettes plus workbooks, \$30; bikes, 21-speed boys and girls, best offer; computer, 133 MHz processor, 48 meg memory, 33.6 modem, 3.5 floppy drive, CD ROM, Windows 98, Office 97, mouse, keyboard, monitor and HP color printer, asking \$300. Call 421-2121 or 0711-907-3405.

Dining room set, simple, good basic start up set, \$75; wooden desk, large, good condition, \$75; mattress, queen-size, box spring and frame, \$150; VCR, U.S. spec, \$50; multi-system TV, \$200. Call Helen Dudley, 430-4427 or 0711-722-2930.

Flute, closed-hole, Yamaha brand, good condition, \$200. Call Kim, 07031-239-394.

Sleeper sofa, queen-size, with matching reclining loveseat and corner table, \$750; area rug, 6x9, blue, \$15; wire fence with posts, about 30 meters, \$50. Call 07034-644-815.

Jogging stroller, super twinner, quick release aluminum alloy wheels, matching canopy and wind/rain shield, \$200; double stroller, Peg Perego, navy blue with double canopy, \$150; Crib mattress, free. Call 430-8145/civ. 0711-680-8145 or 0711-677-0300, evenings.

Toaster, 220-volt, \$5; Floor fan, 220-volt, \$25; Transformers, 1500-watt, \$65, 1000-watt, \$55 and 7500-watt, \$45. Call Kevin or Anna, 0711-817-7451.

Employment:

Secretary, part-time (15-20 hrs. weekly) needed for small, busy office in Vaihingen. Need a self-starter with strong secretarial background, able to handle stressful situations, work independently, a quick learner, good communication skills and a team player. Must have word processing skills and basic computer knowledge. Accounting skills is strongly recommended and transcription skills would be helpful. A receptionist is also needed for 10 hours a month. For info call 0711-161-0000, fax resumes to 0711-745-1426.

Services:

Will install satellite for AFN and Astra systems at a reasonable price. Call Mac McLoughlin, 07031-384-646 and leave message. I will get back to you during the week of Nov. 27.

Experienced babysitter will provide child care in your home up to three times a week on a regular basis. Single German woman, speaks fluent English, former Kindergarten teacher with own car. Call 07154-29-982.

Wanted:

Kitchen items, plates, pots, silverware, glassware, containers etc. for barracks kitchen - good cause. Call Martha, 0711-907-3405.

Lost:

Gold bracelet lost Nov. 2 on Patch Barracks. Call 0711-778-3919.

Found:

Cell phone on RB Elementary School playground. Call Karen or Patricia, 420-7112/civ. 0711-819-7112.

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